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What is ENCOMPASS?

ENCOMPASS (Enterprise Common Processing and Analytics Systems) is the new name for the statewide financial management system. This implementation establishes a new, common Chart of Accounts for state agencies and entities and brings the Auditor of State on-line with the rest of the ENCOMPASS agencies.

The new Chart of Accounts establishes common standards for accounting and data collection. AOS implementation means the State of Indiana will have a single set of integrated financial management databases for ENCOMPASS agencies and achieve a significant reduction in manual processing. ENCOMPASS is a significant step forward for financial management in Indiana.

The ENCOMPASS goals are:

1. Implement a single system that streamlines financial processing and reporting.
2. Establish a common standard for accounting structures.
3. Create greater financial visibility and better accountability for decisions across state agencies.
4. Increase financial staff ability to accomplish job goals and to make greater contributions in managing Indiana's finances.





ENCOMPASS Core Team

The ENCOMPASS team is made up of your colleagues across the State of Indiana, supported by a team of consultants with significant experience in system implementation. The Core Team includes:

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John Eppley
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Catherine Kleyn
Jennifer Marshall
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The expertise on this project team will help the State move smoothly into cutting-edge financial management.

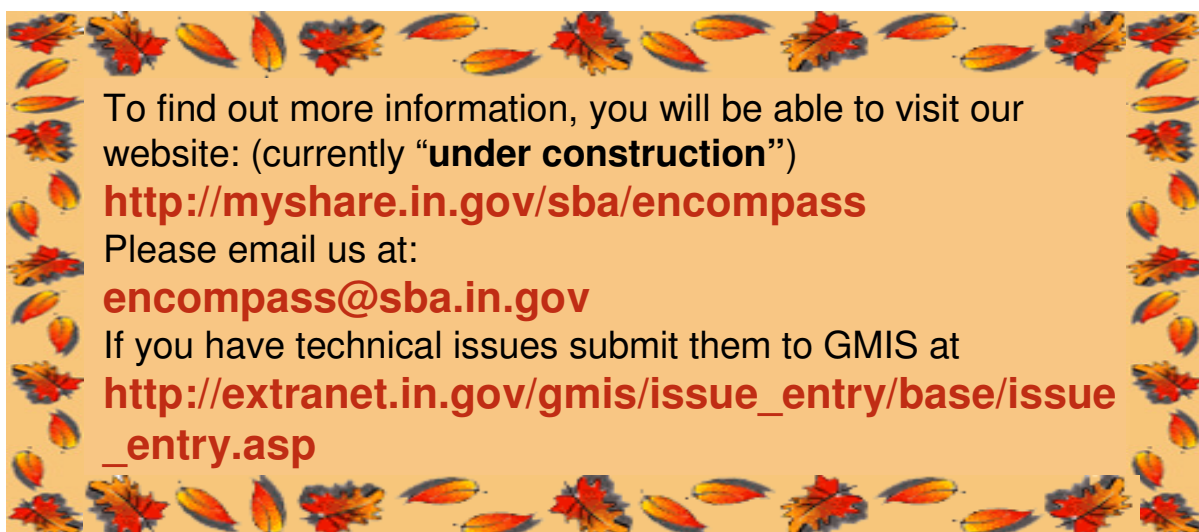
Support & Training

Our team goal is that all users who are impacted by the AOS implementation and the new Chart of Accounts understand what is happening, why it is happening, and how day-to-day operations will change.

We are committed to helping ENCOMPASS users adapt to change by facilitating communication, identifying and addressing issues and challenges, and providing training. Members of our team are aligned to your agencies and working with your budget analysts to help you in this transition. You can reach out to your budget analyst with questions, but you can also use the resources below to guide you.

Our goal is to help you in every way we can. We welcome your feedback/questions/comments.

Need Information? Have Questions?



To find out more information, you will be able to visit our website: (currently “**under construction**”)
<http://myshare.in.gov/sba/encompass>
Please email us at:
encompass@sba.in.gov
If you have technical issues submit them to GMIS at
http://extranet.in.gov/gmis/issue_entry/base/issue_entry.asp